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data is stored in the second memory, and selection between the first and second image data is changed during a vertical blanking period.

**In the Abstract:**

Please REPLACE the Abstract, on page 89, first paragraph, as follows:

~~Image data of a still image is inputted, and the image data is directly outputted to a display device via a switch and displayed on the display device, while the same image data is written in memory. After finishing writing the image data in the memory, the switch switches to select the image data stored in the memory during the vertical blanking period, thus the image data stored in the memory starts being displayed on the display device.~~

A method and system are provided which involve a first memory used for storing first image data, an image processing unit adapted to change the first image data read from the first memory to second image data, and a second memory used for storing the second image data. The method or system selects the first image data stored in the first memory or the second image data stored in the second memory and converts the selected first or second image data to a video signal. The second image data is selected after the second image data is stored in the second memory, and selection between the first and second image data is changed during a vertical blanking period.